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virtually impossible for an applicant to recite references for each and every element forming part of a claim and, furthermore, in view of an unknown individual element identity precision versus state of the art, elements with some difference in element identity.

The above recited references taken alone or in combination are believed neither to anticipate or to render obvious the present application.

Consideration of the reference document during the examination of the present application is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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